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SUBJ: ROMANOFF INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

1. P.T. SAMUDRA MONTAZ PACKAGING INDUSTRIES, AN INDONESIAN COMPANY, HAS ASKED EMBASSY FOR BACKGROUND INFORMATION ON ROMANOFF INTERNATIONAL, INC., 153-159 W. 27TH STREET, N.Y. 1001.

SAMUDRA MONTAZ HAS NEGOTIATED TENTATIVE CONTRACT WITH ROMANOFF FOR PURCHASE OF "SPIN CASTING" AND ELECTROPLATING EQUIPMENT AND RAW MATERIALS MANUFACTURED BY ROMANOFF AND SERVICES OF TWO CONSULTANTS FOR INSTALLATION OF EQUIPMENT AND 4-6 WEEKS TRAINING PROGRAM. COST WILL BE APPROXIMATELY \$55,00, OF WHICH \$10,000 PAYABLE IN ADVANCE OF SHIPMENT UNDER L/C.

2. ACCORDING SAMUDRA MONTAZ, PHILIP ROMANOFF OF ROMANOFF INTERNATIONAL HAS VISITED INDONESIA THREE TIMES AND HELD SEMINAR WITH LOCAL BUSINESSMEN TO EXPLAIN SPIN CASTING PROCESS WHICH MAKES LOW COST JEWELRY, DECORATIONS, SPARE AUTO PARTS AND OTHER METAL ITEMS IN SILICONE RUBBER MOLDS. ROMANOFF HAS NOT VISITED EMBASSY.

3. WE FIND NO LISTING OF ROMANOFF INTERNATIONAL IN STANDARD & POOR'S, DUN AND BRADSTREET DIRECTORY OR THOMAS REGISTER. DUN AND BRAD

- STREET'S 1974 REGISTER LISTS ROMANOFF RUBBER COMPANY, A NON DURABLE GOODS WHOLESALER, AT SAME ADDRESS IN NEW YORK, CREDIT APPRAISAL "GOOD."

4. SAMUDRA MONTAZ SEEKS FURTHER INFORMATION ON ROMANOFF'S BONA
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